GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

MINORITIES WELFARE DEPARTMENT – KAZIs ACT, 1880 (Central Act XII of1880)- Appointment of Sri Shaik Mulinti Muqtar Ahmed, S/o Shaik Mulinti Gaffoor Saheb, Old Masjid Street, Lakkireddipalli Mandal YSR District Kadapa, as Government Kazi for Lakkireddipalli Mandal, YSR District Kadapa, initially for a period of three (3) years for performing Marriages of Muslim Community only - Notification - Orders -Issued.

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MINORITIES WELFARE (IDM) DEPARTMENT

G.O.RT.No. 171 **Dated: 14-12-2020.**

Read

Letter received from the District Collector, YSR District Kadapa, F.No.REVCSEC0KH/ 5/2019-SA(C3)-KDPCO,dt:11.07.2020 received on 26.10.2020.

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O R D E R

In the reference read above the Collector and District Magistrate, YSR District Kadapa, has submitted proposals of Sri Shaik Mulinti Muqtar Ahmed, S/o Shaik Mulinti Gaffoor Saheb, Old Masjid Street, Lakkireddipalli Mandal YSR District Kadapa, for appointment as Government Kazi for Lakkireddipalli Mandal, YSR District Kadapa. He has reported that Sri Shaik Mohammed Abdul Gaffoor Saheb was appointed as Government Kazi, vide G.O.Ms.No.647, dt:16.07.1993, he was working from long time and attained age of 93 years. The applicant viz., Sri Shaik Mulinti Muqtar Ahmed was working as assistant to the said Kazi. At present, the Senior Government Kazi Sri Shaik Mohammed Abdul Gaffoor Saheb was not conducting “Nikhas” due to old age and has submitted written statement and recommended to appoint Sri Shaik Mulinti Muqtar Ahmed as Government Kazi for Lakkireddpalli Mandal and Taluqa. The Muslim elders in Lakkireddipalli and 6 priests of Masjids in Lakkireddipalli have also agreed to appoint the applicant as Government Kazi. Further, the Superintendent of Police, Kadapa in his report has stated that the verification of character and antecedents in respect of Sri Shaik Mulinti Muqtar Ahmed, S/o Shaik Mulinti Gafoor Saheb, R/o D.No.1/96, Old Masjid Street, Lakkireddipalli Mandal, YSR District was got it inquired and no criminal cases pending against him. Finally, the District Collector, YSR District Kadapa has recommended the name of Sri Shaik Mulinti Muqtar Ahmed, S/o Shaik Mulinti Gaffoor Saheb, R/o D.No.1/96, Old Masjid Street, Lakkireddipalli Mandal YSR District Kadapa, for appointment of Government Kazi to Lakkireddipalli Mandal, YSR District Kadapa.

2. After careful examination of the report of the Collector & District Magistrate, YSR District Kadapa, the Government hereby appoint Sri Shaik Mulinti Muqtar Ahmed, S/o Shaik Mulinti Gaffoor Saheb, Old Masjid Street, Lakkireddipalli Mandal YSR District Kadapa, as Government Kazi for Lakkireddipalli Mandal, YSR District Kadapa, initially for a period of three (3) years for performing Marriages of Muslim Community only, as per Section-2 of the Kazis Act, 1880 (Central Act XII of 1880) subject to the following conditions:

1. The Kazi is answerable to the Government for his actions.
2. The appointment of the Kazi can be revoked by the Government on receipt of complaints /verification of records or in extreme cases without notice, if malafide is established as per record.
3. The Kazi shall not indulge any illegal activity in the conduct of marriages nor infringe any law established by the Government.
4. The Kazi shall not carry out marriage of any minor.
5. The Kazi shall not act in any way which is prohibited in Islam or is not permissible in Islam.
6. The Kazi shall not conduct contract marriages.
7. The Kazi or his Naib Kazi shall not perform any marriage, in any area, beyond his specified Jurisdiction.
8. The Kazi shall charge the specified fee and nothing more than that.
9. The Kazi shall appoint not more than three (3) Naib Kazis and the names of such Naib Kazis shall be informed to the Government.
10. Government shall have the right to take disciplinary action against the Kazi, in case of any contravention of Law or of any conditions specified above.
11. The Kazi shall hand-over the Marriage Record to the Wakf Board, at the end of the tenure.

3. If any question arises whether any person has been rightly appointed as Kazi under the above said Section, the decision thereof by the State Governments shall be conclusive. The State Government may, if it thinks fit, suspend or remove any Kazi appointed under this Section, who is guilty of any misconduct in the execution of his Office, or who is for a continuous period of six months absent from the local area for which he is appointed, or leaves such local area for the purpose of residing elsewhere, or is declared an insolvent or desires to be discharged from the office, or who refuses or becomes in the opinion of the State Government unfit, or personally incapable to discharge the duties of office.

4. The following Notification shall be published in the next issue of Andhra Pradesh State Gazette:-

NOTIFICATION

"In exercise of the powers conferred by Section-2 of the Kazis Act, 1880(Central Act XII of 1880), the Government of Andhra Pradesh, after consulting the Principal Muhammadans residents of local area, hereby appoint Sri Shaik Mulinti Muqtar Ahmed, S/o Shaik Mulinti Gaffoor Saheb, Old Masjid Street, Lakkireddipalli Mandal YSR District Kadapa, as Government Kazi for Lakkireddipalli Mandal, YSR District Kadapa, initially for a period of three (3) years for performing Marriages of Muslim Community only".

5. The Chief Executive Officer, A.P. State Waqf Board, Vijayawada/The District Collector, YSR District Kadapa is directed to take necessary action accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

MOHD ILIYAS RIZVI
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
Sri Shaik Mulinti Muqtar Ahmed, S/o Shaik Mulinti Gaffur,
Old Masjid Street, Lakkireddipalli Mandal YSR District Kadapa.
(Through the Collector and District Magistrate, YSR District Kadapa)
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